

Integrating EVM with Acquisition

Audience: Members of Project Teams that utilize EVM as a tool for management of mission-critical development contracts, including:

- Project Managers
- COTR's
- Financial Managers
- Resource Analysts
- Contracting Officers/Specialists

Goal: This 2 hour course will provide a high level understanding of Earned Value Management (EVM) concepts, and the effective integration of EVM with project management and acquisition.

Learning Objectives: Participants will be able to

- Understand basic EVM concepts and terminology
- Recognize what mistakes to avoid that would hinder EVM effectiveness
- Understand how to incorporate EVM into acquisition strategy and contract administration

Learning Methods: Lectures, case studies, discussions, and group exercises.

Key Topics:

- EVM Policy
- Fundamentals of EVM
- Procurement practices that hinder EVM effectiveness
- Roles of procurement personnel in EVM implementation
- Use of EVM in contract administration

Suggested Prerequisites:

- None